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Appl. No. : 09/852,225 Confirmation No.: 4231
Applicant : Mitsuru AKAIKE Art Unit: 3632
Filed : May 9, 2001 Examiner: Naschica S. MORRISON
Title : STOPPER DEVICE AND TELESCOPIC UNIT

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Multiple Dependent					\$

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for this amendment \$0.00

- ☐ Small Entity REDUCTION (Half of preceding total) \$0.00
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$.00 is attached.
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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 8, 2003



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